

- 12 *B1* (3) associating said temporary storage location assigned to said previous instruction  
13 with the input that is dependent on said previous instruction.

**Remarks**

Upon entry of the foregoing amendment, claims 12-45 are pending in the application, with 12, 16, 30, 43, 44 and 45 being the independent claims. Claim 1 is sought to be canceled without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter therein. New claims 12-45 are sought to be added. These changes are believed to introduce no new matter, and their entry is respectfully requested.

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